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To: **Examiner Pritesh D. Darji, Group Art Unit 1793**

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RE: **Serial No. 10/590,666 (Shigeru NAKATSU et al.), filed August 25, 2006,
Confirmation No. 3796**

MESSAGE:

Please see the attached Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form.

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/590,666 First Named Applicant: Nakatsu et al.
Examiner: Darji Art Unit: 1793 Status of Application: pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) Andrew Freistein (2) Pritesh D. Darji
(3) _____ (4) _____Proposed Date of Interview: June 10, 2010 Proposed Time: 10:00 (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
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☐ Continuation Sheet Attached☒ Proposed Amendment or Arguments Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

possibly incorporate claims 3 and 5 into claim 1;
discuss the teachings of Vesely
discuss other possible amendments to claims 1 + 6

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Andrew B. Freistein

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

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Examiner/SPE Signature

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